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Applicant: Reinscheid et al.

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STREPTOCOCCUS, ADHESION FACTORS OF GROUP B

STREPTOCOCCUS AND FURTHER USES THEREOF

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed November 25, 2008, in the above-identified application. Applicants are hereby submitting the Replacement Drawing Sheet of Figure 11, in order to complete the application papers. No new matter has been added. The requirements for this application have been met and no further fees are required.

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REMARKS

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account 02-1818 for any fees which are due and owing.

Respectfully submitted,

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